CLAIMS:

1. A method to perform customized error handling, comprising:

detecting an error having a first error message;

retrieving a second error message corresponding to said error;

replacing said first error message with a second error message.

2. The method of claim 1, further comprising sending said second error message to a display.

3. The method of claim 1, further comprising terminating said first error message.

4. The method of claim 1, wherein said detecting comprises:

monitoring an application; and

determining whether said application will generate an error upon execution.

5. The method of claim 1, wherein said detecting comprises:

receiving a message; and

determining whether said message comprises said first error message.

6. The method of claim 5, wherein said determining comprises:

searching said message for a character string; and

comparing said character string with a first error table.

7. The method of claim 6, wherein said retrieving comprises:

retrieving an error number corresponding to said character string; and

retrieving said second error message from a second error table using said error number.

8. The method of claim 1, wherein said retrieving comprises:

searching an error translation table using said first error message; and

retrieving said second error message from said error translation table corresponding to said first error message.

9. The method of claim 2, further comprising:

receiving a response to said second error message; and

terminating said first error message using said response.

10. A method to perform customized error handling, comprising:

monitoring a system for an error;

intercepting a first error message corresponding to said error;

retrieving a second error message corresponding to said first error message; and

sending said second error message to a display.

11. The method of claim 10, wherein said retrieving comprises retrieving said second error message using said first error message.

12. An article comprising:

a storage medium;

said storage medium including stored instructions that, when executed by a processor, result in detecting an error having a first error message, retrieving a second error message corresponding to said error, and replacing said first error message with a second error message.

13. The article of claim 12, wherein the stored instructions, when executed by a processor, further result in sending said second error message to a display.

14. The article of claim 13, wherein the stored instructions, when executed by a processor, further result in terminating said first error message.

15. The article of claim 12, wherein the stored instructions, when executed by a processor, further result in retrieving a second error message by searching an error translation table using said first error message, and retrieving said second error message from said error translation table corresponding to said first error message.